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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/023,712

Applicants: Hidehiro MATSUOKA, et al.

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For: BEAM FORMATION CIRCUIT AND AN  
APPARATUS AND A METHOD OF RECEIVING  
RADIO FREQUENCY SIGNALS MAKING USE OF  
A SMART ANTENNA

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Examiner:

SIR:


Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**SECOND STATUS REQUEST FOR FIRST OFFICE ACTION (in duplicate)**

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The Patent Office is respectfully requested to inform the undersigned of the  
approximate date a first Official Action will be issued on this Application.

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